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## REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AND **AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed August 4, 2009 ("Office Action"), Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application in view of the following Amendments and Remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 21.

Applicant believes that no extensions of time are required at this time. However, if extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, such extensions of time are hereby petitioned for under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a).

Applicant believes that no further fees for net addition of claims are required at this time. Alternatively, any fees for the net addition of claims are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 23-1951.